

1194.22(c):Color

Definition

- Web pages shall be designed so that all information conveyed with color is also available without color, for example from context or markup.

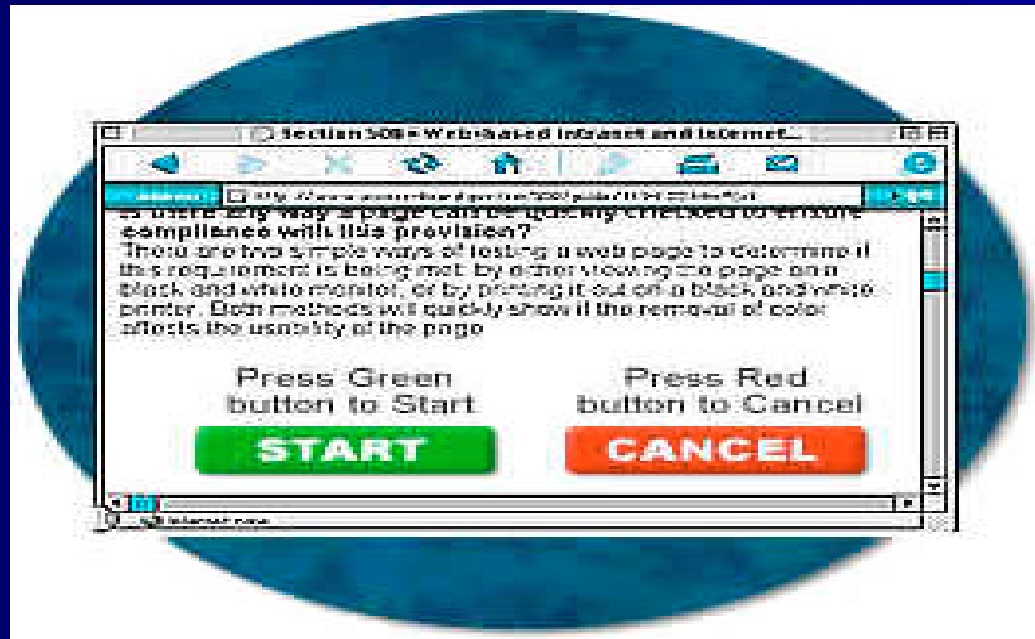
Color (cont)

■ Issue:

- When colors are used as the sole method for identifying screen elements or controls, persons who are color blind as well as those people who are blind or have low vision may find the web page unusable.

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- Example 1
 - Form buttons using color to convey an action



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■ Example 2:

– Search Form states:

- Note: The fields in the blue shaded section are related to submission, registration, and stewardship

FAA Data Registry - Microsoft Internet Explorer

File Edit View Favorites Tools Help

Address: http://fdh.faa.gov/8000/ptb/rd/home_u.cnt?to_url=ac_soa...

Home FOR GUEST FAA DATA REGISTRY Working Menu ref: 1000

Administrated Item Search Basic Advanced Full Text Ad-Hoc Help

Admin Item Types

- All Item Types
- Classification Scheme
- Conceptual Domain
- Data Concept
- Data Element
- Object Class
- Property
- Value Domain

Name Search: ☒ Preferred ☐ All Names

Definition Search: ☒ Preferred ☐ All Definitions

Name(s):

Definition(s):

Context: 4.02

Workflow Status: 4.02

Version: Latest All

Definition Language: 4.02

Name Language: 4.02

Registration Authority: 4.02

Submission Org: 4.02

Data Identifier: 4.02

Submitter: 4.02

Version:

Steward Org: 4.02

Registration Status: 4.02

Steward: 4.02

Classification Item: 4.02

Case File: 4.02

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Search Clear

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- The provision does not prohibit the use of color to enhance identification of important features.
- Requires that some other method of identification, such as text labels, must be combined with the use of color.
- Avoid using color to indicate emphasized text, and also the use of color to indicate an action.

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■ Hyperlinks

- Visited links are normally red, conveying to the user information that a web page has been visited
 - Not a Section 508 issue because the user has the capability to reconfigure the default color for visited links